Selected by legislative delegations from Frederick, Montgomery & Prince George's counties: Gloria G. Lawlah; Carol S. Petzold.

Ex officio: Paul J. Wiedefeld, Maryland Dept. of Transportation

The National Capital Region Transportation Planning Board was created in 1965 by a memorandum of agreement among officials of Maryland, Virginia, the District of Columbia, and local governments in the region. The Board was established to meet the transportation planning requirement of the Federal Aid Highway Act of 1962, and, in 1966, became associated with the Council of Governments. The Board receives staff and administrative services from the Council and acts as the Council's transportation policy committee.

The Board fulfills federal requirements for regional transportation planning, a condition of eligibility for federal transit and highway assistance. It develops and adopts regional transportation plans and programs based on assessing and analyzing data on travel patterns in the Washington metropolitan area.

## METROPOLITAN WASHINGTON AIR QUALITY COMMITTEE

Chairperson: Ellen M. Bozman, Arlington County, Virginia

Maryland members appointed by local juridisctions:

Bowie: Gary G. Allen

College Park: Joseph E. Page Frederick: Frances G. Baker Gaithersburg: Julius J. Persensky Greenbelt: Thomas X. White Rockville: James T. Marrinan Takoma Park: Edward F. Sharp

Calvert County: Mary M. King

Charles County: Thomas (Mac) Middleton Frederick County: Ronald L. Sundergill

Montgomery County: Neal Potter; William E. Hanna. Prince George's County: Parris N. Glendenning;

Hilda R. Pemberton.

Selected by legislative delegations from Calvert, Charles, Frederick, Montgomery & Prince George's counties: Stephen J. Braun; Arthur Dorman.

Ex officio: Merrylin Zaw-Mon, Maryland Dept. of the Environment; Missy Drissel, Maryland Dept. of Transportation.

In 1991, the Metropolitan Washington Air Quality Committee was certified by the mayor of Washington, DC, and the governors of Maryland and Virginia as the entity responsible for carrying out the federal planning requirements of the Clean Air Act amendments of 1990 in the Washington Metropolitan Statistical Area. The Committee develops strategies to reduce emissions that pollute

the air. The Committee also conducts air quality regional planning to meet the 1999 federal deadline mandated for ozone reduction and other requirements for reducing levels of ozone and carbon monoxide pollution.

## MID-ATLANTIC FISHERY MANAGEMENT COUNCIL

Chairperson: Lee G. Anderson, Ph.D., Delaware

Maryland members appointed by U.S. Secretary of Commerce upon nomination by Governor: W. Peter Jensen: Gilbert Radonski.

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The Mid-Atlantic Fishery Management Council was established in 1976 in accordance with the Federal Fishery Conservation and Management Act of 1976, as amended. The act gives the United States exclusive management authority over fisheries (except for highly migratory species of tuna) within a fishery conservation zone of 3 to 200 miles offshore. For both domestic and foreign fisheries, the law was enacted to ensure sound fishery conservation and management measures.

The Mid-Atlantic Council is one of eight regional fishery management councils established as planning units to carry out provisions of the federal act. Each council prepares fishery management plans for implementation by the U.S. Secretary of Commerce.

With a total of twenty-three members, the Mid-Atlantic Council is made up of representatives from Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, and Virginia. Nineteen voting members include the Regional Director, National Marine Fisheries Service; a state fisheries official from each state; and twelve public members selected by the U.S. Secretary of Commerce upon nomination by the state governors. Public members serve threeyear terms. Four nonvoting members represent the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service; U.S. Coast Guard; U.S. Department of State; and Atlantic States Marine Fisheries Commission.

## MID-ATLANTIC POULTRY HEALTH COUNCIL

Chairperson: John G. Tarburton, Delaware

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